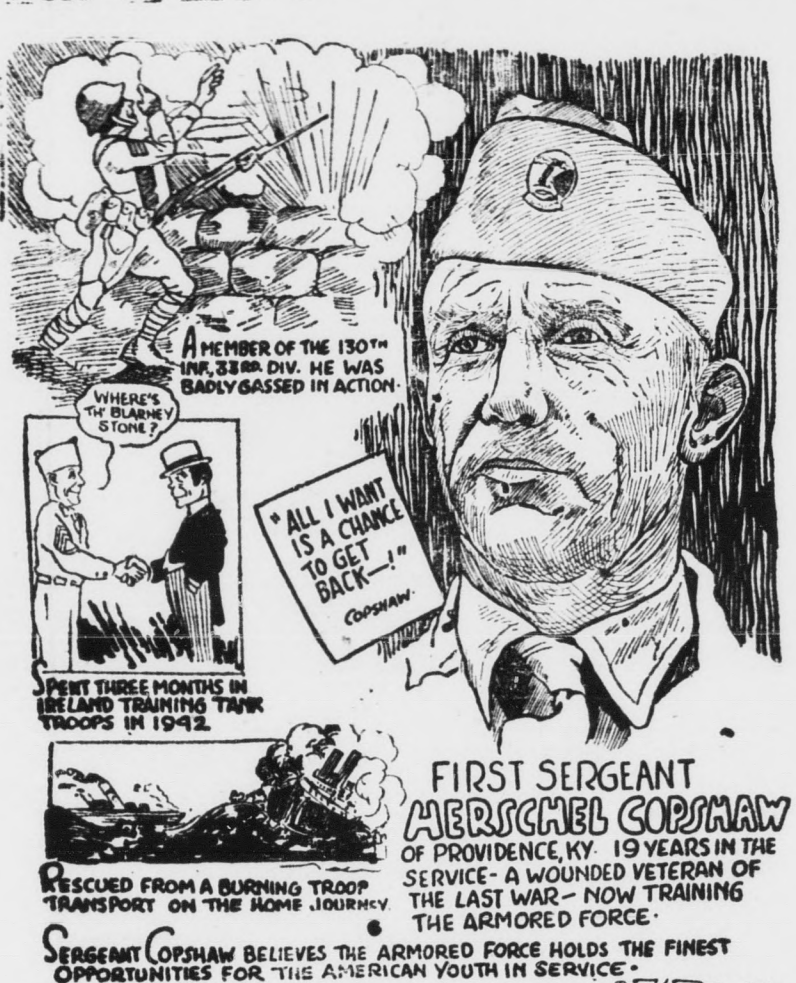




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"I DON'T WANT TO GO TO THE PARTY. I DON'T WANT TO GO TO THE PARTY. I DON'T WANT TO GO TO THE PARTY."

Oakville, Jan. 12. Mrs. J. B. Stinson, who has been sick for the past week, is much better at this time.

Mrs. Bob Martin and son spent Monday with her mother, Mrs. O. W. Martin, Mr. and Mrs. Maurice Williams and daughter, of Lynchburg spent last weekend in this same home.

Mrs. Tom Page visited Mr. and Mrs. George Page Monday.

Rev. Charles Spain visited Mr. and Mrs. Tom Page Thursday evening.

Elbert Rogers, who has been sick for some time is coming better at this writing.

John Doris left for Petersburg Monday to secure work.

Mrs. Irene Rogers is spending some time in Richmond with relatives.

Albert Page left last Friday for induction into the Army.

Mrs. Ira Phelps and son, Rice spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Charlie Nash and family.

Friends in this community wish to extend sympathy to Mrs. A. I. Cudde and family in their recent bereavement.

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Rosebud

Rosebud is eight, and the most beautiful shade of caramel fudge. To her loving Mamma and Pappy she is known as "Angel" and "Devil" child. It was on her devil-child days that Rosebud told the Knobs in the kitchen that Mamma had taken in for washing, and poured the whole of the vanilla into the lamb stew, just, she said, later through bitter tears, to "favor it up some."

On her angel days Rosebud is equally imaginative even if a more realistic occupant of the little shack down on Vinegar Hill. Once when Mamma was out one day, Rosebud got a heavy cold, and she was fever and ached every part of her body. She was in the kitchen so that she literally fainted. Another day, left alone, she fainted up Mamma's and Pappy's room to such a point of apoplexy that they had to take her to the hospital. It was a week before Pappy could find an undertaker.

Rosebud is a great reader of the newspapers. Mamma and Pappy don't take one, but there are plenty of perfectly good newspapers blowing round Vinegar Hill. It was out of one of them that Rosebud got her idea for spending the afternoon in the Bunny had put under her pillow the night her mother had been told that breakfast Rosebud disappeared down the hill and reappeared with a beautiful ten-cent War Stamp pasted firmly into a brand-new book with neat little squares for more stamps. She displayed her investment to Mamma. "I declare you're an angel child," Mamma said. Rosebud went on sitting on the kitchen floor staring with large brown eyes at the empty squares in her book. From time to time she took hold of one or another of her teeth and wiggled it, gently.

Mamma was engrossed in a particularly big washing. Rosebud was as quiet as a mouse and Mamma forgot about her until, coming in from the yard with her arms full of dry sheets, she encountered her child with a large hammer in her hand. Sending the devil in her angel child, Mamma shouted at her, "Rosebud! Come yere with that hammer! What you planning on doing?"

But what was done was done. In Rosebud's other hand was another tooth. Her mouth was stretched in a broad, slightly bloody smile. "I ain't doing nothing, Mamma," she said. "I'm just filling up my stamp book."

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Hixburg

Hixburg, Jan. 12. The meeting for farm families was very well attended Thursday night, considering the weather and tire and gas rationing. R. B. Higgins and Mrs. McWhite spoke on the imperative need of greater production this year.

J. Sears Hix, of Thomasville, N. C. spent several days last week at his old home here.

Mrs. E. W. Gilliam was a business visitor at Appomattox Thursday.

Mrs. H. C. Wheeler and Mrs. W. R. Perkins, of Chowan called in the home of J. R. Marshall Thursday afternoon. They also called on Mrs. J. T. Hix.

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